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PROSPECT COLLEGE, GEORGETOWN, D. C., April 2, 1863.

MESSRS. HOSTETTER & SMITH—*Gentlemen*: It gives me pleasure to add my testimonial to those of others in favor of your excellent preparation. Several years of residence on the banks of a Southern river, and of close application to literary work, had so thoroughly exhausted my nervous system, and undermined my health, that I had become a martyr to dyspepsia and nervous headache, recurring at short intervals, and defying all known remedies in the Materia Medica. I had come to the conclusion that nothing but a total change of residence and pursuits would restore my health, when a friend recommended Hostetter's Bitters. I procured a bottle as an experiment; it required but one bottle to convince me that I had found at last the right combination of remedies. The relief it afforded me has been complete. It is now some years since I first tried Hostetter's Bitters, and it is not just to say that I have found the preparation all that it claims to be. It is a Standard Family Cordial with us, and even as a stimulant we like it better than anything else; and we use it in all nervous, bilious, and dyspeptic cases, from fever down to toothache. If what I have now said will lead any dyspeptic or nervous invalid to a sure remedy, I shall have done some good.

I remain, gentlemen, respectfully yours,
E. D. E. N. SOUTHWORTH.

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Received Thursday and Friday at Pittock's

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Having returned after an absence of three years in the army, I have re-opened my shop for all sorts of jobbing in the carpentar line at the old stand, Virgin Alley, between Smithfield street and Cherry Alley. Orders solicited and promptly attended to.
WILLIAM FORREST.

CITY ITEMS.

The Case Stated—Laughing Gas.

Every profession has its fossils, and scientific fossils are the most invulnerable of incrustations. The owlish vaticinations and ridiculous dogmatisms of such bodies as social science congresses, statistical corps, boards of trade, medical and mechanical institutes, with their threadbare scientific commonplaces, vapid generalizations; monotonies of treatment, and queer mosaic of cloudy allusions, have become matters of derision with all earnest, progressive truth-seekers. Such bodies fail to be useful because they are never willing to move along with the newest learning—the latest scientific revelations. A conclave of bishops could not accept Columbus' theory of a new world because it was contrary to the accepted interpretation of the Scriptures. Nor were their opinions changed even after the discovery.

We present a local application of these truths. Dr. C. Sill, of No. 246 Penn street, for many years a skilful and successful dentist of Pittsburgh, was the first of his profession to apply laughing gas here. A large practice demonstrated its safety and usefulness. It was a duty to humanity to publicly proclaim the virtues of this discovery. Should a light be kept under a bushel? But the Pittsburgh Dental Association, of which Dr. Sill had been President, censured him for alleged unprofessional conduct in advertising the gas, the *real* motive, however, being jealousy of his very large practice, and a "retiring" member of the Association, one J. S. King, avers by card that he has heard of fatal accidents at the east from the use of the gas, and insinuates that a young lady was made ill by its application at an office on Penn street, although he took very good care not to name Dr. Sill's office, as he knew that not a single accident of any kind had ever occurred in Dr. S.'s practice. King affects to abhor the gas, and inhaling tube as not clean enough for his immaculate mouth. Hundreds of clean, respectable and intelligent people don't object; they are satisfied with Dr. Sill's precautions in the matter. The more widely the virtues of the gas are known the more general does its use become. Dr. Sill's practice increases daily, while the members of the Dental Association are welcome to a monopoly of a non-advertising, non-paying *respectable* practice.

Extraordinary

One of the most extraordinary cures, perhaps, ever performed by any medicine, is that of a little girl in this city, who, after nine years of suffering in the most terrible wretchedness, has been restored to health by "Dr. Keyser's Blood Searcher." Most of our citizens, who may be interested in such cases have already been made acquainted with the case of Daniel A. Boyd, who is a living, active and intelligent witness to the power and efficacy of this medicine. The little girl was, however, a cure still more remarkable. Over thirty running sores covered her body; the bones were seen under the play of the muscles and several pieces of bone were discharged with the humor, which was driven to the surface, and by Dr. Keyser's Blood Searcher was completely eradicated from the system. In purchasing, look for the name of Geo. H. Keyser over the top of the bottle, without which none is genuine. Prepared and sold at Dr. Keyser's Medicine Store, and also sold at George A. Kelly's, Allegheny.

The Surgeons' Reports

Show that our armies have suffered greatly from chills and fever which is induced by the miasma and change of climate to which they are exposed. They also find Ayer's Ague Cure is an effectual remedy for this distemper, and are urging the government to adopt it within the regulations. The Surgeon-general hesitates because it is put up in a proprietary form. However great that convenience to the public, he prefers the physicians of the army should give their own directions for the doses. Whatever professional pride may dictate, he knows as well as we do, that Dr. Ayer's Cure is an almost perfect antidote for the Ague, and that the soldiers should have the benefit of it, as well as the people.—*Washington Correspondent.*

For Muslins and Prints

Go to Shellaby and Barclay's. They have reduced all their old stock to correspond with their new stock, which they are now opening. Give them a call at 74 and 76 Market Street.

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Will find a good stock of Linen and Cotton Goods at very low prices at Shellaby & Barclay's, 74 and 76 Market street.

For April

Harper, Godey, Atlantic, Young Folks, Sunday Magazine, Beadle's Monthly, &c., for April, at Pittock's.

Still Greater Reduction

In Muslin and Prints at Shellaby & Barclay's, 74 and 76 Market street, the original Bee Hive stand.

Twelve

Second-Hand Pianos, in perfect order, for sale at low prices, by Charlotte Blume, 43 Fifth street.

A Bargain Seldom Met with.

Sixty dollars will buy a sweet-toned piano, in perfect order, at Blume's music store.

12½ Cents a Yard

Will buy Prints, Muslins and Crash at Shellaby & Barclay's.

25 Cents a Yard

Will buy Delaines, Ginghams and Tickings at Shellaby and Barclay's.

Gough.

Photographs of this gentleman at Pittock's.

Pike's Benefit

Photographs of him at Pittock's.

New York Magazines

And all the papers at Pittock's.

Flying Squadron Fitting Out—Health of Senators Dixon and Foote—Honorable Discharges—Sales of Irish Bonds—Quarantines at Southern Ports—The Tariff Bill—Senator Stockton.

NEW YORK, March 23.—The *Herald's* Washington special says: It is understood that orders have been issued for the immediate fitting out of a flying squadron for duty on the British North American coast. Various reasons are assigned for the movement. One is assembling of the British West India fleet at Halifax, and another is the Fenian scare. A still another is the termination of the reciprocity treaty. Be the effect upon the colonies what it may one thing is certain, we shall have a fine fleet in the eastern waters, capable of taking care of our interests in that quarter. It will probably equal the English fleet in strength.

A Washington special states that Senators Dixon and Foote are still in a precarious condition, though both are reported somewhat better by their medical attendants.

A special order honorably discharging thirteen Assistant Quartermasters, five Commissaries of Subsistence, one Surgeon, five Assistant Adjutant Generals, and two Aides-de-camp, all of the volunteer military forces, were yesterday issued from the War Department. Among the officers included in this order is Col. D. T. Van Buren, formerly Assistant Adjutant General to Generals Dix and Butler.

The Superintendent of the Fenian Bond Agency, in Washington, states that during the month past sales of the Irish bonds to the amount of $100,000 had been made amounting to ten thousand dollars. The bonds sold were mostly of the twenty dollar denomination.

According to information from the headquarters of the army, officers in command of Military Departments are establishing quarantines at the different southern ports. Suitable vessels for quarantine guard ships are stationed along the coast and health officers have been appointed to inspect all vessels, especially those from the West Indies.

Ex-Governor Andrew, of Massachusetts, has addressed a strong letter of approval to Senator Stewart on his amnesty suffrage resolutions, lately introduced in the Senate.

The Committee of Ways and Means are engaged during the present week upon the revenue tariff bill, which will be reported to the House as soon as the Finance Bill can be disposed of.

Parties have been sent for to Kansas for the purpose of identifying a man recently arrested in New York, and supposed to be Quantrell, the celebrated guerrilla.

Senator Stockton, of New Jersey, whose seat has been contested, will be ousted by a vote of the Senate. His successor is said to be a radical.

The Civil Rights Bill.

NEW YORK, March 23.—The *Post's* special says: The President is still considering the Civil Rights bill. It is understood that he has asked counsel of distinguished jurists in regard to its constitutionality. If returned to the Senate with a veto, the objection will relate to the second section of the bill, on the ground that it declares penalties against State judges. The President has asserted that he approves of the general principles of the bill.

The Loan Bill.

NEW YORK, March 23.—The *Commercial's* special says: The Committee on Ways and Means have determined to report a loan bill with amendments, restricting the reduction of circulation to $20,000,000 during the first six months, and $40,000,000 a month afterward.

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BY TELEGRAPH.

OUR SPECIAL DISPATCHES.

PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATURE.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Gazette

HARRISBURG, March 23, 1866

SENATE.

Mr. Bigham, from the Committee on Judiciary Local, reported as committed, an act increasing the pay of the Coroner and County Commissioners of Allegheny county. Also, from the same, with a negative recommendation, an act changing the dividing line of the townships of Peebles and Liberty in the courts having jurisdiction, in the opinion of the Committee.

BILLS READ IN PLACE.

Mr. Latta, an act in relation to livery stable keepers in Westmoreland county.

Mr. Bigham, an act authorizing the Wilkesbarre and Philadelphia Railroad Company to borrow money, and to connect with other roads.

Mr. White, an act relating to the Johnstown Manufacturing Company.

Mr. Connell, a joint resolution asking Congress to increase the number of army post chaplains.

BILLS PASSED.

An act authorizing an additional Notary Public in Allegheny county. An act to prevent the extension of disease among cattle; also one to amend laws relating to penal proceedings and pleadings.

HOUSE.

The following public bills were passed: An act regulating the mode of voting at all elections in the Commonwealth; an act relating to Actioneers in this Commonwealth; an act to allow Clerks of Commissioners to administer the oath; an act enlarging the powers of the Orphans' Court so as to discharge the liens of a real estate; an act changing the official name of the Surveyor General; an act authorizing any person whose husband or wife is *non compos mentis*, to sell a mortgage or lease for years, or real estate held in their own right.

There were three different license laws for Allegheny county reported from the Committee.

BILLS PROPOSED.

By Mr. Danks—To incorporate the Lawrenceville Water and Gas Light Company.

By Mr. Slack—An act relative to grading, &c., in Allegheny City. Also, to incorporate the House Insurance Company of Pittsburgh. Also, to authorize Railroads in the Commonwealth to construct bridges, and ... that it be laid on the table.

By Mr. Boyle—To authorize ... Baptist Church of Fayette county to own property.

Adjourned.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Senators Foote and Dixon.

ENGLISH CATTLE PLAGUE INCREASING.

Enormous Emigration to America.

ANOTHER RAID ... SOUTH WORKED.

Gen. Spinner and Mr. Clarke's Financial Statements.

VOTE ON THE LOAN BILL.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The physicians report the condition of Senator Foote to be much improved, with fair prospects of recovery. Senator Dixon, also, is reported decidedly convalescing out of danger, and to be convalescent.

The United States Consul at Sheffield, England, writes to the Department of State under date of March, 1866, that the steady increase of the cattle plague is creating a serious alarm, and that the rapid extension of the disease, which is a proof of its contagious character.

The United States Consul at Liverpool informs the State Department, by a letter dated March 9, 1866, that emigrant ships leaving that port for the United States are filled with emigrants. Ship owners and others say that the emigration this spring will be much more enormous, and the conditions are that it will be greater than in any other time since the war has ceased.

Another delegation of the Chippawa Indian delegation died here yesterday, of the black measles, of which disease the chief and another of the tribe died during the week. Two others are sick with the same complaint, but are pronounced out of danger.

Much astonishment has been created here, this morning, by a telegram from Chicago, stating that dispatches from Washington are published in the Western papers saying that Gen. Spinner's recent letter to Gen. Grant, on the correctness of Freedmen Clark's financial statements, controverting the position of the Secretary of the Treasury. So far from this being true, Gen. Spinner's action has been in quite the opposite direction, and, in answer to Mr. Clark, the Secretary of the Treasury has received the following letter:

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, March 23, 1866.

SIR: I am directed by the Secretary of War to transmit herewith a letter postmarked March 22d, and to this Department, over the signature of "Union-loving Woman," and enclosing the sum of forty-four dollars, to be appropriated to the payment of the National Debt.

I have the honor to be,
Your obedient servant,
THOMAS T. ECKERT,
Acting Assistant Secretary of War.

To Hon. Hugh McCulloch,
Secretary of the Treasury.

The report of the Committee on Reconstruction, on the testimony of Governor Pierpoint and others about the condition of Virginia, is still delayed by the absence of Senator Howe, who is especially connected with that branch of the investigation.

The following is the vote on the Loan Bill in detail as passed: Yeas—Messrs. Allen, Ancona, Anderson, Ashley, Baldwin, Banks, Barker, Baxter, Bergen, Bidwell, Blaine, Boyer, Brooks, Cobb, Conkling, Cullom, Darling, Dawson, Deming, Eldridge, Elliott, Farnsworth, Farquhar, Finck, Garfield, Glossbrenner, Gerfiel, Hale, Harding, Hogan, Holmes, Hubbard, Ingersoll, Humphrey, Jones, Kasson, Kerr, Ketcham, Kuykendall, Laflin, Latham, Lawrence, Edson, Marshall, Marston, Marvin, M. Cullough, McRuer, Mercer, Morris, Moulton, Myers, Newell, Nicholson, Orth, Paine, Randall, Reno, Rice, Ritter, Rollins, Ross, Sawyer, Scofield, Smith, Poland, Stilwell, Stevens, Taylor, Thornton, Upton, Van Horn of New York, Van Valkenburg, Van Wyck, Ward of Missouri, Washburne, of Illinois; Washburne, of Indiana; Washburne, of Massachusetts; Wentworth, of Illinois; Winfield, Wright, Windom, Wilmot, Stone, Todd, Sloan—96.

Nays—Messrs. Bundy, Clarke, Coox, Dixon, Driggs, Eckley, Eggleston, Terry, Griswold, Harding, Hay, Hart, Hayes, Higby, Hill, Hotchkiss, Edward Joy, Hubbard, N. Y., Hubbard, W. V., Hubbard, N. Y., Hubbell, Ohio, Julian, Kelly, Kelso, Lawrence, Ohio, Loan, Lynch, McClurg, Miller, Morrill, Nesmith, Norton, Benjamin, Bingham, Brownell, Bowell, Buckland, Orth, Payne, Phelps, Price, Shellabarger, Stevens, Francis, Thomas, Jno. L. Thomas, L. Van Aernam, Van Horn of Indiana, Watson, of Iowa, and Wilson, of Pa.—53.

ADVICES FROM CALIFORNIA.

The War Between Spain and Chili.

BOLIVIA JOINED THE ALLIANCE

NEW YORK, March 23.—The steamer Arizona from Aspinwall, on the 18th, with California mails and treasure of March 1st, has arrived.

The Golden City left Panama on the 10th, for San Francisco.

The good excitement at Barbadoes continues. The Spanish fleet on the Chilian coast are suffering from confinement and want of fresh provisions. The Spanish frigates Villa-de-Madrid and Blanca had been repulsed in an attack on the Chilian forts at the mouth of a river in which was the allied fleet. The fortifications were strong, and had mounted guns, while the Peruvian frigate Arzobalan, which had been wrecked on the bar.

The spaniards attempted to shell the place and to reach at long range the squadron inside. The attack resulted in failure on the part. The Blanco was considerably damaged. The vessel protested against the Spanish commander's declaration of coast being contraband of war.

It is rumored at Valparaiso that credits to a large amount, granted by the Oriental Bank of London, were dishonored by their correspondents of the Bank of Valparaiso. They also, however, immediately taken up by the National Bank of Chili for the honor of the Oriental Bank.

Bolivia has allied herself with Chili and Peru for offence and defence. Peru is rapidly preparing to take a full share in the war. Eight torpedoes will soon be ready for the defence of Callao. The Prados Government was inspiring confidence daily.

The Columbian Congress has rejected a proposition to declare war against Spain. The weather is dry on the Isthmus, and the country healthy.

Death of Joseph Walker, Esq.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Joseph Walker, one of our oldest and best citizens, died yesterday at the age of 82 years. He was widely known as one of our most honorable and successful merchants, as President of various insurance companies, and for his bounteous charities.

THE LOAN BILL.

The Currency of the Country.

LETTEE FROM SECRETARY M'CULLOCH.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The following is the Loan Bill as it passed the House to-day:

Be it enacted, &c., That the act entitled "An Act to provide ways and means to support the Government," approved March 3d, 1865, shall be entered and construed to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury, at his discretion, to receive any Treasury notes or other obligations issued under any act of Congress, whether bearing interest or not, in exchange for any description of bonds authorized by the act to which this is an amendment, and also to dispose of any description of bonds authorized by said act, either in the United States, or elsewhere, to such and amendment in such manner and at such rate as he may think advisable, for lawful money of the United States, or for any treasury notes, certificates of indebtedness or certificates of deposit, or other representatives of value which have been or which may be issued under any act of Congress. The proceeds thereof to be used only for retiring treasury notes or other obligations issued under any act of Congress; but nothing herein contained shall be construed to authorize any increase of the public debt, provided, that of the United states notes not more than $10,000,000 may be cancelled within six months from the passage of this act, and thereafter, not more than $4,000,000 in any one month; and provided, that the bonds which may be disposed of elsewhere than in the United States, may be made payable, both principal and interest, in the coin or currency of the country in which they are made payable, but shall not bear a rate of interest exceeding five per cent. per annum; and provided, further, that the act to which this is an amendment, shall continue in full force in all provisions, except as modified by this act.

SEC. 2d. That the Secretary of the Treasury shall report to Congress, at the commencement of the next session, the amount of exchanges made, or money borrowed under this act, and on what terms. Also, the amount and character of the bonds sold or disposed of under this act, and the act to which this is an amendment, with a detailed statement of the expense of making such loan and exchanges.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The following letter was addressed to-day by the Secretary of the Treasury to the Chairman of the Committee of Ways and Means:

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, March 23.—*Dear Sir*: Your favor of the 22d, instant is received, touching the bill now before your Committee, namely: *Resolved*, That a communication be addressed by this Committee to the Secretary of the Treasury stating that the Committee has received, through one of its members, information that the Secretary is of opinion that he is without further legislation sufficiently armed with power, to carry out the policy announced in his late annual report, and to request the Secretary to inform the Committee whether such is his opinion.

In reply, I have to say that I must have failed to make myself clearly understood by the Honorable member of the Committee to whom reference is made. I did not intend that the Secretary is, without further legislation, sufficiently armed with power to carry out the policy announced in his late annual report, but I did intend to say that if it should be found necessary to modify in any important particular the provisions of the bill providing for the sale of bonds, I am confident that it should not become a law. It will be in my opinion, a national calamity, if Congress shall fail to give additional powers to the Secretary, for it will be difficult, if not impossible, to fund the interest bearing notes under the existing laws. But I do not desire that the commonwealth or myself should become in any way responsible for a law that is likely to fail in accomplishing its object.

I regard it a matter of the greatest importance that the powers of the secretary should not be strictly defined: If, for example, the secretary should be prohibited from selling bonds upon par, it would be easy, as the market in the process of funding, must be liberally supplied, for the enemies of the government to form successful combinations to keeping the bonds at such prices as would prevent the negotiation of them. On the other hand, if the authority of the Secretary in this respect is too unlimited, the Secretary himself would be likely to be formed. In my opinion, the best way of keeping the bonds at a premium is to leave the Secretary unrestrained in the sale of bonds, for if he is restrained, power it would be difficult to form a successful combination. A limitation of the authority to sell bonds in this respect, would be very likely to prevent the funding. I do not, therefore, favor such a limitation, and should regret to have the Committee responsible for it.

In regard to the other important feature of the bill, the authority to withdraw United States notes, I have neglect to remark that I consider it to be of vast importance to the business of the country, the welfare of the people, and the credit of the nation that such authority should be adopted by this Congress as will prepare the way for a return of specie payments. When this can be brought about I would repeal upon the condition of national industry and the trade relations between the United States and foreign nations. It is not desirable that specie payment should be resumed until the foreign trade is made sure by increased industry and a proper adjustment of the trade with Europe. The tendencies now are all in the right direction, and if we shall adjust such ludicious legislation as I shall be hopeful that the currency of the country may be brought up to the specie standard without a lapse of time. The only apprehension which exists, that if power is given to the Secretary to retire United States notes, the circulation will be ruinously contracted. This apprehension is not well founded. If no reliance can be placed upon the discretion and carefulness of the Secretary, the very condition of the finances of this country will prevent such a reduction of the currency, or will make either a light money market or depress business. Authority to reduce the currency will go very far to prevent the necessity for a reduction. The battle will be more than half fought when the Government shall adopt a healthy financial policy.

I am very truly, your obedient servant,
Signed HUGH MCCULLOCH,
Secretary of the Treasury.

To Hon. Justin S. Morrill, Chairman Committee on Ways and Means.

THE CREDITORS OF SANDERS.

NAPOLEONS PROBABLE DESIGNS ON AMERICA.

SEVERE EARTHQUAKE SHOCK.

&c., &c., &c.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Among the principal creditors who have arrested George N. Sanders in London, there appears the name of Arthur Rankin, of Windsor, Canada, for the sum of £3,000. Sanders was still in custody, and would be heard on the 23d inst.

The *Herald's* Paris correspondence says: There is much speculation in London and Paris concerning a private audience extended by the Emperor Napoleon to one Col. Finlay, editor of the London *Cosmopolitan*, a northern man who did not hesitate to declare his sympathies with the south, and who labored in that feeling at the close of the struggle, in every way an avowed and open supporter of the imperial institutions in France and Mexico.

A variety of opinions are expressed as to the subject of his interview with the Emperor. Those who look upon the matter in a serious light, imagine that the Emperor, in view of the possibility of a war with the United states resulting from his prolonged stay in Mexico, sent for the Colonel to ask his opinion as to what northern States would adopt in such an event, and whether they would rise again with the aid of France, and strike another blow for independence and to revenge the cause of slavery.

Others assert that the interview is for the free interchange of sentiment as to the best means of forming French and Russian Panslavism in the columns of the *Cosmopolitan*. At any rate he was honored next morning with an interview with Drouyn De Lhuys.

The report comes to us to-day that arrangements are being made for the visit of the Seventh New York regiment at the Exposition Universal.

Advices from the Chincha Islands, February 28th, say the population is fast leaving in expectation of a visit from the Spaniards.

A severe shock of earthquake was felt on the seventeenth, lasting sixteen seconds.

Accounts from the New Barbacoas mines, Equador, say the previous reports were exaggerated. Californians are advised to stay at home.

Envoy from Stephens—The Pope and the Fenians.

NEW YORK, March 23.—A Fenian envoy from James Stephens to O'Mahony is said to have arrived on Wednesday. He contradicts the report of Stephens' capture.

The London *Times* correspondent from Rome says: The Pope's Holiness cannot depart from a principle he has once laid down and made. Two years ago the Austrian Ambassador, with whom there are about thirty-five, wrote to Rome for instructions how to act toward the sect of Fenians arising into existence.

The answer, as might have been expected, directed that it should be discontenanced. Since there are only four of the Roman Catholic Bishops in the Fenian brigade, and one Irishmen, who have openly protested against Fenianism, the Arch-Bishop of St. Louis, the Bishop of Philadelphia, the Bishop of Chicago, and another. Bishop Hughes, of New York, showing any sympathy with it, have permitted the epidemic to spread. As to the feeling and action of his Holiness, there can be no doubt.

From hour to hour, says the Dublin *Mail*, accounts come to the police authorities representing the whereabouts of Stephens in Dublin or near there, and although in many instances a hoax is intended, but there can be no question that several came from well ... who believe they have been ... meaning persons. The consequence of this is to give increased activity to the police, whose duty it is to investigate the truth or falsehood of such reports.

This morning, a most circumstantial account, wanting but one element, truth, was in circulation through the city, to the effect that James Stephens had been conveyed by a party of Fenians on board of an American ship, at Drogheda. The steamer Canadian, Capt. Stembel, was in Belfast Harbor, where her crew had been feasted on board by the corporation.

The Arrest of Calvin Pepper.

FORTRESS MONROE, March 23.—Mr. Calvin Pepper, who was arrested here yesterday, left this morning for Richmond. An investigation is to be immediately made into his colonization scheme, by Maj. Gen. Terry, at Richmond.

THE FIRE AT CINCINNATI.

Total Loss Two Million Dollars.

FURTHER INTERESTING PARTICULARS.

CINCINNATI, March 23.—Pike's Opera House is entirely in ruins. Portions of the front wall has fallen into Fourth street, and the entire rear and side walls have fallen out. The *Enquirer* office, with all its contents, is completely destroyed. The fire spread across Baker street to the Adams Express stables and to several buildings on Third street, but it is now well subdued. Total loss will be two million dollars. Mr. Pike's loss is estimated at one million. He has an insurance of thirty-eight thousand only. Very little property was saved from the building, except the money and papers in the office. The actors lost all their wardrobes.

The Adams Express Company saved their money and valuable packages, but only small cash was lost.

Among the sufferers are R. W. Carroll & Co., book-sellers; Wheeler & Wilson, sewing machines; A. C. Peters & Co., music store; Strowbridge & Gerloch, lithographers; Bryant, Stratton & Co., book-keeping college, Harpple's Mercantile Printing office; F. P. Haldy, boots and shoes; Shalmes & son, paper hangings; H. D. Baldwin, pianos; Nisbett & Atkins' saloon; J. W. Langley, cigar dealer; Buckeye billiard saloon.

The fire broke out about half an hour after the audience had been dismissed. Its origin has not been fully ascertained, although the supposition is that it was occasioned by an explosion of gas. The fire spread so rapidly that in five minutes after the explosion occurred, the whole building was in flames. The event has somewhat dampened the spirits of the community.

CINCINNATI, March 23.—The Adams' Express Company have opened a temporary office at number 192 West-fourth street, and are prepared for business. Three car loads of goods, valued at one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, were destroyed by the fire. Their insurance on the office fixtures is $35,000. All their horses and wagons were saved.

The *Inquirer* Company last about $100,000; insurance $38,000. They had on hand printed matter valued at $200,000, including $30,000 belonging to John Robinson & Co. The Buckeye Billiard Saloon lost $50,000. They were partially insured. Riddett & Atkinson lost $18,000; insured for $8,000. Wm. Lang & Co., lost $120,000; insured $70,000. A. T. Peters & Co., lost their entire stock of music and musical instruments, damage very heavy; insured $30,000. Among the valuable plates for printing sheet music which Mr. Peters had been gathering for the last forty years.

F. P. Haldy lost $15,000—insured for $8,000. Holmes & Co. lost $40,000—insured for $25,000. H. Baldwin lost twenty-two pianos—partially insured. Bryant, Stratton & Co. lost $8,000—no insurance; Harnel lost $5,000—no insurance; Strowbridge & Gerlock lost $6,000—no insurance. There were a large number of minor losses, including the office of the *Daily National Union*.

Business on Fourth street, between Walnut and Vine was entirely suspended to-day, and the street blockaded by the fallen walls of the Opera House. The streets surrounding the burning district have been crowded with spectators throughout the day, and an intense feeling of awe prevails throughout the city over this terrible disaster. The *Enquirer* Company will resume business to-morrow, Sprague's Buildings, corner of Fourth and Vine streets, and Carlisle Buildings, corner of Fourth and Walnut streets were secured.

XXXVIIIth CONGRESS—FIRST SESSION

WASHINGTON, March 23, 1866.

SENATE.

The Vice President laid before the senate the report of the Vice President of the National Academy of Sciences.

Mr. Chandler moved that the senate proceed on its amendments to the bill authorizing the sale of Keyser Cutters and Marine Hospitals, and that a Committee of Conference be appointed.

Mr. Clark presented two hundred petitions for the Equalization of Bounties. Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Harris presented a petition of the New York brewers for a modification of the revenue laws affecting their business. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Howe presented a petition of the Governor of equal rights in the late rebellious States, which was referred to the Committee on Reconstruction. Also, a petition of a branch of the Southern Pacific Railroad, which was referred to the Committee on Pacific Railroad.

On motion of Mr. Fessenden, a bill was added on its amendments to the Committee on Finance, and another to the Committee on Commerce and Judiciary.

Mr. Brown introduced a bill donating public lands to the American Forest and Preparation Company, for the purpose of promoting American forest culture, and to prevent the destruction of American forests, which was referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

Mr. Stewart called up the bill to confirm the holding of the District Court of Minnesota at the city of Winona, in that State, which was passed.

Mr. Wilson introduced a joint resolution which was referred to the Military Committee, that omission from muster-rolls of one of the Massachusetts regiments of a certain colored soldier of the bounty to which he was entitled, and which is now or may hereafter be entitled to receive, shall not debar him from receiving the same.

Mr. Henderson presented the joint resolutions of the General Assembly of Missouri, memorializing Congress for the payment of losses and damages to property, by reason of said State on account of the occupation thereof by federal troops, which was referred to the Committee on Claims.

Mr. Anthony, from the committee on Printing, reported a resolution, which was adopted, providing that further publication of the observations of the United States naval astronomical expedition to Japan be dispensed with.

The Chair then laid before the Senate a report of the Secretary of War communicating, in obedience to a resolution of the Senate of the 9th inst., information in relation to the legislation necessary to fix and establish the position of the Chicago and Rock Island railroad, at Rock Island, so as to enable the War Department to occupy said Island for military purposes.

The Secretary transmits the report of Gen. A. E. Dyer, chief of ordnance on the matter. Gen. Dyer says that it is thought that the present position of the railroad on Rock Island without authority of law and is held merely on sufferance.

Mr. Pomeroy introduced a bill to receive and extend the provisions of an act granting the right of way and making a grant of land to the States of Missouri and Arkansas, to aid in the construction of a railroad from a point on the Mississippi opposite the mouth of the White river, via Little Rock to Texas, near Fort Smith and the Mississippi river, approved February 9th, 1853, and for other purposes, which was referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

Mr. Yates introduced a bill to repeal section 10 of the Act of March 3d, 1863, providing and calling out the National forces, which was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Chandler introduced a bill to prevent smuggling and for other purposes.

Finally the question was taken on the amendment declaring $2000 to the contestant, which was lost; yeas 19, nays 21. The closeness of the vote created considerable excitement.

A vote was then taken on the resolution declaring Mr. Stockton entitled to the seat. Before the vote was declared, Mr. Stockton stated that Mr. Morrill had agreed to pair off with Mr. Collamer. Mr. Morrill's vote was therefore not recorded. Mr. Stockton then desired Mr. Clark to call his (Stockton's) name, which was allowed by the Chair, as Stockton's name was at the time of the vote declared to be entered by the Vice President to be, yeas 22, nays 21.

The Senate adjourned till Monday.

HOUSE.

Mr. Price, from the Pacific Railroad Committee, reported back the bill in aid in the construction of the Kansas and Neosho Valley Railroad, connecting the Great Lakes, Iowa, Missouri and Kansas with Texas and the Gulf of Mexico, which was ordered to be printed and recommitted.

Mr. Ashley introduced a resolution which was adopted, requesting the Secretary of War to furnish the House with such information as may be in his possession as to the amount of money necessary for the improvement of the harbor at the mouth of the Maumee Bay, and Maumee River at the city of Toledo, Ohio.

Mr. Stevens, of Pennsylvania, introduced a resolution, which was adopted, requesting the Secretary of War to report the expenditures made under his direction, in conformity with the fifth section of the Indian Appropriation bill of March 3d, 1865, specifying the amount of each appropriation, the purpose for what Indians, and for what objects disbursed.

The House then proceeded, during the morning hour, to the call of committees for the reports of private character.

Among other bills reported and passed was a joint resolution, reported by Mr. Bingham, from the Committee on Military Affairs providing for the relief of certain officers of the army. The joint resolution provides that in every case in which a commissioned officer actually entered on his duty as such commissioned officer, and was entitled by law to be mustered in as such, but by reason of capture by the enemy, or other cause beyond the control and without fault or neglect of his own, was not mustered according to the regulations within a period of not less than thirty days, the pay department shall allow to such officer full pay and emoluments from the date on which such officer actually entered on such duty, deducting only the amount paid or otherwise lawfully received by such officer for such period.

Mr. Shellabarger suggested that it should apply also to officers who were killed before they were regularly mustered in. The joint resolution was modified accordingly, and passed.

A motion ... to reconsider the vote by which the constitutional amendment was referred to the Judiciary Committee on the 15th of March, was called up and the House refused to reconsider the vote.

The House then went into Committee on the Pennsylvania reimbursement bill.

Mr. Blaine withdrew his amendment, and the bill and the amendment were reported to the House.

The Pennsylvania reimbursement bill was passed by a vote of 86 to 39.

The Ways and Means Committee have reported back the loan bill with amendments, one of which provides that the secretary of the Treasury shall not retire and cancel more that $10,000,000 of United States notes within six months after the passage of this act, and thereafter not more than $4,000,000 in any one month.

The House then went into a Committee of the Whole on the subject.

The bill supplementary to the pension act giving twenty-five, twenty and fifteen dollars per month to soldiers and sailors, under certain circumstances, was passed.

A joint resolution relative to the public laws of the United States, was passed.

The loan bill, with the amendments adding the following powers, was reported back from the Ways and Means Committee: Provided that the United States bonds of not more than $50,000,000 may be retired and cancelled within six months from the passage of this act, and thereafter not more than $4,000,000 in any one month.

A new section is also added, providing the Secretary of the Treasury shall report to Congress, at the commencement of the next session, the amount of exchanges made, or money borrowed, of whom borrowed, what terms and amount, character of indebtedness, with a detailed statement of expenses of making them.

The House then went into a Committee of the Whole on the loan bill.

Mr. Morrill advocated and explained the bill and amendments.

Mr. Lawrence opposed the bill on the ground of giving too much power to the Secretary.

A long debate ensued, and several amendments and provisions were offered and rejected.

The Naval Engagement off Chili.

NEW YORK, March 23.—*The Tribune's* Central American special gives the following additional Chilian news concerning the naval engagement off Chili:

The following was written to the Minister

The Pittsburgh Gazette.

SATURDAY, MARCH 24, 1866.

FOR GOVERNOR:

MAJ. GEN. JOHN W. GEARY,

OF CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Notice is hereby given that hereafter all TRANSIENT advertisements received at this office must be paid for when handed in, except in the case of yearly advertisers, whose bills will be rendered quarterly, as usual. Advertisers will please make a note of this, as the rule of cash payments for advertisements of the character stated, will be inflexibly enforced.

The price of our paper is THREE CENTS at the counter or from newsboys. Served by carriers at FIFTEEN CENTS per week.

THE REASON WHY

A leading manufacturing firm of this city call our attention to the following paragraph contained in a recent copy of the London *Times*, sent them by their British correspondent:

WOLVERHAMPTON, *Saturday*.—"The demand for iron keeps very steady, orders coming in day by day, and they are pressed for completion. The improvement in the trade with the United States is more decided, and ironmasters having agencies there are sanguine of a heavy spring trade with that country. Stocks are low at New York, and requirements for the restoration of railways and all commercial plant very large. The only drawback is that the American ironworks are far from being well employed, and they are striving earnestly to get the heavy import duties further raised, *but it is hoped that Southern votes will on that question counteract New England in Congress*. Railway orders are large, and the Lancashire and Yorkshire are in the market for 5000 tons. The demand for hard wares is improving steadily."

This explains fully why British journals and journals and individuals on this side of the Atlantic, in the British interest, are smitten with admiration for the President's Policy. In addition to the especial desire they have felt to break up the Government, and so far demonstrate their favorite hypothesis that republican institutions are a failure, and which still leads them to wish the humiliation of the Union, and the embarrassment of its loyal population, they are actuated by a special selfishness, under the inspiration of which they are covetous of our rising manufacturing power, and are seeking by all possible means to hamper and cripple it. This is presisely what we expected. Hence we are not surprised at the unmeasured laudation the organs of British opinion are now pouring upon the President, and his plan of Reconstruction, though we are somewhat taken back by this frank disclosure of their motives.

What bothers us is that there are iron masters in this country who take the British view of the subject, and ceremoniously invite a competition which must be fatal to themselves and the workmen they employ. When an enlightened self-interest coincides with a wise and beneficent public policy it is ordinarily fair to presume upon unity of action. The contrariety now disclosed baffles our faculties of exegesis.

A BILL PASSED THE LEGISLATURE a few days ago to incorporate a company to construct a railroad from Schuylkill county to the Delaware river near Philadelphia. The impression upon the public mind is that it was a blow aimed at the Reading Railroad Company for daring to enter into engagements with the Atlantic and Great Western Company. Influential parties from Philadelphia are at Harrisburg endeavoring to prevail on the Governor to veto the bill.

Now, we are decidedly in favor of Free Trade in Railroad building. If any person want to invest $1,000,000 in a new railroad from the Schuylkill coal regions to Philadelphia, by all means let them do so. Prudent business men, having that sum to place, will be apt to consider fully the fact bearing on the prospect before putting up the money.

We approved the Governor's late veto of the Philadelphia and Erie Railroad bill because that was a measure of obstruction. Its design was not to facilitate the building of railroads, but to prevent men who were ready to build roads from having that privilege.

STATEMENTS are made to the effect that "all the Southern leaders in Washington" are favorable to the principle of Mr. Stewart's resolutions, giving universal amnesty for universal suffrage. These statements must be taken, if at all, with many grains of allowance. Some Southern leaders are doubtless willing to compromise in this way. Messrs. Foote, of Tennessee, Sharkey, of Mississippi, and Hamilton, of Texas, may be of this number. But, on the other hand, Messrs. Sharkey, of Missouri, Call, of Florida, Hunt and Parsons, of Alabama—all Senators elect—protest against the proposition and say it will not be accepted by any Southern State. We think what they assert in this regard is fact. There was a time, shortly after the fall of Richmond, when the Southern people would have accepted this offer gladly. Now, their mind is altered. They believe they can get universal amnesty without any concession whatever. This change has been wrought in them by what they know of the feeling and purpose of the President towards them.

IF LOUISIANA is in the Union in the same sense as Pennsylvania, upon what principle can President Johnson be justified, in preventing the installation of Mr. MONROE as Mayor, or in allowing General CANBY to prevent it? There is no pretense that he was not fairly chosen by a majority of the qualified electors. All that is alleged is that he *was* disloyal. If the President should interfere to prevent, by military force, the inauguration of a Mayor of Philadelphia or New York, the whole country would flame with indignation. The intervention in New Orleans is a demonstration that the President holds Louisiana still subject to the war power as a conquered province.

THE *Commercial* has not got out of the fog on the Suffrage Question. Yesterday it rode two horses. In one article it stoutly espoused Mr. Raymond's proposition, for a rule applicable alike to the loyal as well as the disloyal States, making a given degree of intelligence the indispensable condition of voting. It did more. Not having a due fear of radicalism before its eyes, it urged Mr. Raymond to bring forward a constitutional amendment to that end. In another article, it clearly favored the proposition of Mr. STEWART to grant universal amnesty in exchange for universal suffrage; and prompted Congress to act in that direction. Under which king, good neighbor?

PRESIDENT JOHNSON has been elected an honorary member of the Manhattan Club, the leading Democratic society of the city of New York, and has consented in acknowledgement of the compliment to have a full-length portrait of himself taken to ornament its room. This is the Club with which Mr. Secretary SEWARD fraternized after making his Cooper Institute speech on the 22d of February last.

THE RIGHT OF BLACKS to ride in street cars has gone up to the Supreme Court from the Philadelphia Common Pleas, and in such form as to necessitate a final decision of the main question.

ALLEGHENY WIDOWS' HOME.

In our columns to-day will be found an Appeal from several of the most prominent and influential ladies of Allegheny, in behalf of an enterprise inspired by enlarged philanthropy. It is in contemplation to erect one or more blocks of dwelling houses, to be rented at nominal rates, to widows of respectability who are struggling to maintain their children or dependent parents by honorable industry. This is a form of charity, noble in the donors, and not humiliating to the recipients. It is the wisest form charity ever assumes, of enabling the poor to help themselves. While this principle has its manifest advantages as a general rule, it has special advantages in the class of cases for which provision is now contemplated. These advantages are admirably set forth in the Appeal.

We urge a single point. Organized as society is, females are commonly reared in a condition of comparative or absolute dependence on their fathers, brothers or husbands. Instructed in household industries merely, they have small resources to fall back upon when disease or death takes away the props on which they have been accustomed to lean. The loss of a father or husband is always the sundering of tenderest ties. Often it is more. It not unfrequently plunges a daughter or wife from competency and comfort into the depths of poverty and helplessness. Just here such a charity as that now proposed is of incalculable value. It comes through a cloud of misery like the ministery of angels.

THE MOST VIOLENT, extreme and unscrupulous journals in the United States are those which make the loudest professions of moderation and conservatism. If any man doubts the accuracy of this statement, let him step into any public reading room and carefully look over such files as he may chance to find. The review will convince him of the truth of our statement.

Before us is a Philadelphia journal, edited by gentlemen whom we esteem as personal friends. It vaunts its conservatism. All through the war, it was the harshest and sternest in its loyalty, and the most sweeping in its methods, of any newspaper it was our lot regularly to peruse. Now, it has taken up the championship of the President's Policy, as the current manifestation of conservatism. Except, perhaps, the N. Y. *World* and the La Crosse *Democrat*, there is not a newspaper in the country that surpasses it in violence. It constantly degrades the dignity of journalism by unpardonable coarseness. It even descends to the vulgarity of printing Colonel SORNEY's name without using capital letters—a breach of decency in which only conservative journals have ever been known to indulge.

What is true of conservative newspapers is equally true of individual conservatives. Take at random one hundred of these gentlemen, and ninety-nine of the lot will be found, upon experiment, to be bitterer than wormwood, when they come to speak of men who differ with them in opinion. If you want a man cursed soundly you must get a conservative to do the job for you. Hence, it has happened in all the ages that conservatives have lighted the fires of persecution, engineered inquisitions, and exulted in torturing such as refused to comply with the ancient traditions.

MAJ. GEN. JOHN BROWN, a rebel officer, and brother of Gov. NEIL S. BROWN, resides at Pulaski, Giles county, Tennessee. He was not an original secessionist, but he yielded to the madness of the times at any early period, and raised the second company of volunteers in the county. He was twice wounded, reached Nashville after the surrender with just two dollars in his pocket, and a badly damaged wardrobe. He claims now to be thoroughly reconstructed, and says that *"the rebels of the South will walk with the Democrats of the North, and do the country."* That is doubtless the programme. But, pray, have not "the rebels of the South," and "the democrats of the North" been united all the while? It seems like a work of supererrogation, at this late day, to get up a marriage between these parties.

SPEAKING of the Rhode Island Union Convention, and the consequences likely to result therefrom, the Providence *Journal* of the 21st inst. remarks:

"Every town in the State was represented in the Union Convention yesterday, the proceedings were harmonious, and excellent nominations were made. It is doubtful if the Democrats make any opposition at all to the ticket which was nominated, but it is of little consequence whether they do or not. Our candidates will be elected by a most overwhelming majority."

AT THE REGULAR AUCTION SALE of Scranton coal, in New York, on the 22d inst., prices ranged from $5.25 to $6.85, according to sizes. Still lower rates will be accepted next month. One ton of Scranton or anthracite is worth more than two tons of soft or bituminous coal. Consumers who have been victimized by the high rates of the last three seasons, will not cry over the compensation they may obtain in the ruling of low rates for awhile.

WORDS are notoriously cheap. The latest illustration of this truism is furnished by the democrats of Pennsylvania. In their late State Convention they made a formal tender of "lasting gratitude" to the Soldiers of the Union. What, and how much, they meant thereby can be inferred from the course, ribald and indecent manner in which most of their journals are now dealing with Gen. GEARY.

THE telegraph reported the arrest for horse-stealing, at Louisville, Kentucky, of STERLING KING, and his confession that he was one of the party who attempted the assassination of Secretary SEWARD. The Louisville *Courier* thinks the confession a dodge, to get out of the horse-stealing difficulty, by getting before a military commission on a charge which cannot be substantiated.

A CORRESPONDENT of the N. Y. *Tribune* nearly stated that the nomination of Mr CLYMER was received with marked disatisfaction by the President. Perhaps the statement was not overdrawn. Be this as it may, we have excellent authority for declaring that Mr. CLYMER has been a frequent and welcome visitor at the White House during the last six months.

THE Cincinnati *Gazette* affirms, on what it declares to be competent authority, that Mr. Secretary SEWARD's recent mysterious voyage, had no other object than to meet exiled rebel leaders in Cuba, and concert with them measures for their restoration to their homes and to political power, and that recent developments are the result of that interview.

OF MR. SEWARD the Indianapolis *Gazette* says:

"Strange as it may seem to many of our readers, we have no confidence whatever in Mr. Seward, and have not had from the day he entered Mr. Lincoln's Cabinet. We have indeed—to tell the truth on the subject—regarded him as the Evil Genius and Marplot of the Republic, ever since that moment."

IT IS STATED that the Hudson River Railroad Company have ordered 6,600 tons of steel rails, sufficient to lay 60 miles of road, and as the iron wears out it is to be replaced by steel. They cost twice as much, and will wear ten times as long as iron.

Letter from Anawan—The Quarker City by Gas Light.

Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette.

PHILADELPHIA, March 21st, 1866.

Has it ever occurred to you, reader, how little is known to the honest country people, of the crimes and temptation of city life the goings on in dark alleys and untrequented streets—in the brilliantly illuminated gambling hells—the public squares—underground saloons—sub rosa retreats—aye and ever in the public thoroughfares before the very eyes of the indifferent city pedestrian? And if so will you not concede the axiom that "Ignorance is bliss?" In such instances indeed I think, "tis folly to be wise." Let me carry you, in imagination to a few of the most popular resorts of this metropolis city; for recollect though Philadelphia is the second city in the country in population, she is not second in crime—Many smaller *villages* are ahead of her in this particular.

In the first place I will enumerate the places of amusement in their order, as to respectability. The Walnut, Chesnut and Arch streets Theatres, Camerons and Dixies Minstrels, Signor Blitz necromancer, new American Varieties on Allmadon principle, Dan Rice's Circus, Harry Enoch's Music Hall, Paul's Casino, Lon's Varieties, and a host of minor, if they can be inferior to the two last mentioned, places of amusements. In those underground concert halls obscene songs, ribald jests, and profanity are used females are the attractions, yet these places are as far above other and more numerous, unmentionable dens, as the moon is above this mundane sphere.

The "pretty waiter girl" system is pretty much done away with, and men and boys are substituted. In the "American" colored waiters are employed, and cigars and other refreshments are immoderately indulged in by both men and women. On Chesnut street a stranger will be besieged at every ten steps by some fair but fallen daughter of Eve and many a "flat" is thus "taken in" with a pocket full of cash and finds himself next morning, minus his cash, watch, &c. Another class of these female pickpockets, frequent the street cars, where unsuspecting parties, particularly ladies, show the location of their portmonnies, and are readily relieved of them in the bustle of the crowd, of some one getting in or out. It is said we have just received a fresh importation of these adepts from New York. Our public squares on a fine evening present quite a lounly. Women of every shade and complexion congregate there, as a tristing place, when they meet their prey. The gaudy swell, the rouc, and the flash rested, flash faced spirt, together with that class of hypocritical sneaks, who carry an elongated, puritanical, sanctimonious face before their customers through the day—to their families at night, and to church on Sunday. These are not among the least of this motley crowd, nor yet the least censurable. I might go on to enumerate all classes of men. To therecredit be it said, however, some go to these places for observation or through curiosity. Let us now take a glance at the saloons, in some of which you will still find the bloated and brazen faced waiter girl. Some of these places keep open all night, and are usually frequented in the after part of the night, by cabmen, news boys and boot blacks awaiting the first dawn of day to hail the passers by. These all night resorts usually keep eatables as well as drinkables, and many of these poor half clad and starved boys have no homes, and consequently are glad to find such a place for a few hours relaxation and repose. All these sights tend to excite the sympathy of the philanthropist, while some, and a greater portion of them, elicit disgust. Yet we should be charitable and reflect upon the cause of all this shame and destitution. How often has a step mother or father been the means of driving a pool innocent young girl upon the town, and that if we believe in accessory sins damning their own souls. Parents should think of this and not be so lax in their duty to their children, as is generally the case.

Pittsburgh is comparatively free from most of these vices, but youth is not invulnerable, and parents and guardians should endeavor to instill in their children or wards a taste for home amusements, where a watchful eye can be kept over them. Verily if there is not some check to immorality in our city, in a few years we will leave Sodom and Gomorrah in the background.

A. WANAS.

RELIGIOUS.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

ALLEGHENY CITY, EXCELSIOR HALL. Preaching on SUNDAY MORNING and EVENING by ELDER KING. Sunday School at 2 o'clock P. M. Prayer Meeting on WEDNESDAY EVENING. The public are cordially invited to attend. mh24

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

The Sabbath morning services will be held in MASONIC HALL, Preaching by the Pastor, Rev. JAMES A. EMERSON.

The evening services will be held in the Lecture Room of the Baptist Church, GRANT STREET, near DIAMOND ALLEY. Subject of baptism and its consequences. 1t

LIVERY STABLES.

HOWARD'S LIVERY STABLE.

Having disposed of my interest in the Kensington livery stable, I would inform my friends that I have opened a livery stable on Fifth avenue, near the Monongahela House.

I design to thoroughly conduct the stable and take it the best of my ability. Horses kept by the month or horses kept. All entirely new. Carriages, Carriages, Buggies and Horses for hire. Also for sale a number of horses. Apply at the stable. mh24

FIRST CLASS LIVERY AND SALE STABLE.

By strict attention to business and to the interest of the public, I hope to receive a liberal share of public patronage.

Horses kept at Livery in the very best manner.

R. C. HOWARD.

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Nos. 19 and 21 Ferry Street, and 12, 70 and 72 Liberty St., Pittsburgh, Pa.

SMITH & TEVAN, PROPRIETORS,

Late Pittsburgh Agricultural Works.

We announce to dealers and farmers that we are prepared to manufacture Mowers, Reapers, Combined, Lever and Railway Horse Powers, Tedders, Separators and Cleaners, Hay, Straw and Fodder Cutters, Corn Mullers, Corn Shellers, Presses, Churn Powers, Bee Hives, Corn Shellers, &c., &c. Particular attention paid to repairing all kinds of Agricultural Machines at shortest notice. mh23:3tdlyw

LOST BOATS.

CARRIED OFF BY ICE. 4 Built OIL BOATS were carried off by the ice in Oil Creek some three weeks since, belonging to MAWHINNEY & CO. The following are the dimensions:

Barge No. 1	78 by 18
Barge No. 2	80 by 16
Barge No. 3	80 by 16
Barge No. 4	80 by 14

Also, one OPEN BARGE, carried off about same time from Foster's Island, marked "No. J. WILLIAMS." Any information regarding their whereabouts can be left or addressed to JAMES MAWHINNEY, Petty Block, Duquesne Way, Pittsburgh, or JOHN MAWHINNEY, Oil City. mh22:3td

PAVERS.

J. M'INTYRE ..... S. J. M'CAUGHEY
S. M'NAUGHER ..... ARTHUR HODGSON

McINTYRE, McNAUGHER & CO.,

STONE AND BRICK PAVERS,

Will attend promptly to

Furnishing and Laying Stone and Brick Pavements,

And Repairing the same; Curb Stones Furnished and Set. Also, Grading and Cellar Digging done at shortest notice.

Parties ordering anything in our line will have their orders attended to by addressing us through the Allegheny Post Office, or by calling at No. 266 Sandusky street, Allegheny.

Highest price paid for Paving Stones. mh21:3mod McINTYRE, M'NAUGHER & CO.

SEED WHEAT.

SPRING WHEAT FOR SEED.

Important to Farmers.

We have a small lot of very superior MINNESOTA SPRING WHEAT, selected with great care, and suitable for SEED. As the season for sowing Spring Wheat has nearly arrived, those desirous of securing GOOD SEED would do well to apply soon, as the supply is limited.

HITCHCOCK, M'CREERY & CO.

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LICENSE LIST.

SUPPLEMENTARY to the Third List of Applications for Malt Liquors, filed in the Clerk's office up to March 6th, 1866.

John M'D. Cleaver, Tavern, Second Ward, City of Pittsburgh.

The Court will sit on WEDNESDAY, the 28th day of March, 1866, at 10 o'clock, A. M., for hearing the above applications.

W. A. HERRON, Clerk.

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ELECTION NOTICES.

MANCHESTER SAVINGS BANK, WEST MANCHESTER, March 1st, 1866.

AN ELECTION FOR PRESIDENT and SIX DIRECTORS of the MANCHESTER SAVINGS BANK will be held at their Banking House, on SATURDAY, the 31st day of March, between the hours of 11 and 4 o'clock.

THOS. B. UPDIKE, Cash't.

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REMOVALS.

REMOVAL.—My Office and Residence will be removed and permanently located after the FIRST OF APRIL next, to No. 160 FOURTH STREET, above Smithfield; until which time, I shall be at my usual place, 294 Penn street.

C. M. DAKE, M. D.

NOTICES.

NOTICE.—Application will be made to the DELAWARE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY of Philadelphia for a renewal of CERTIFICATE FORFEITED SEPTEMBER 1st, 1847, number 925, said certificate having been lost or destroyed. SIDNEY FORSYTH, Administrator of Jno. A. Forsyth, dec'd. mh22:6td

CITY SOLICITOR'S OFFICE, PITTSBURGH, March 6th, 1866.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all persons interested, that the report of Appraisers appointed to assess the damages caused by the change of grade of Penn street, from Thirty-second to Thirty-third street, has been filed this day in my office. If no appeal be taken and paid within thirty days from this date, items will be filed thereto and judgment entered against the properties assessed, with interest, costs and fees, according to law.

J. F. SLAGLE, City Solicitor.

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NOTICE TO OWNERS OF DRAYS.

HEAD QUARTERS, Mayor's Office, Pittsburgh, March 6th, 1866.

All owners of Drays, Carts, Carriages, Buggies, &c., whether residents or non-residents in the City of Pittsburgh, are hereby notified to report at the office of the City of Pittsburgh, FORTHWITH, in accordance with an Act of Assembly, approved March 31, 1860, and an Ordinance of the Councils of the City of Pittsburgh, passed April 30, 1860, and all persons who neglect or refuse to take out Licenses will be subjected to a penalty to be recovered before the Mayor, double the amount of the License.

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W. ELCHAM, City Treasurer.

PITTSBURGH, December 30th, 1865.—ly

MEETINGS.

JUNIATA CREEK PETROLEUM COMPANY.—A Meeting of the Stockholders of this Company will be held at the MERCHANTS' HALL, over Dollar Savings Bank, Fourth street, on MONDAY, March 26th, at 7½ o'clock, P. M., to consider the By-Laws of the Company. A full attendance is requested. By order of the Board.

OFFICE PITTSBURGH AND BOSTON MINING CO., PITTSBURGH, March 21st, 1866.

ANNUAL MEETING.—An adjourned Meeting of the Stockholders of the Pittsburgh and Boston Mining Company will be held at the office of the Company, on MONDAY, the 26th inst., at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

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PROPOSALS.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the office of the Chief Commissary of Subsistence, Department of the Monongahela, Pittsburgh, Pa., until 12 o'clock, M., on Saturday, March 31st, 1866, for furnishing the following articles, viz:

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Sealed Proposals will be received at the office of the Chief Commissary of Subsistence, Department of the Monongahela, Pittsburgh, Pa., until 12 o'clock, M., on Saturday, March 31st, 1866, for furnishing the Burglar Proof and the Burglar and Fire Proof Safes and Locks required for the Quartermaster's Department for one year from the acceptance of the proposal of the successful bidder.

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Proposals will also be received for Burglar and Fire Proof Locks, to be accompanied with samples.

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RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCE.

The mode of praising God in public worship has been the cause of much trouble, and frequently, arising from the want of harmony between choir and congregation. Choirs are useful in leading this important part of Divine service, but where they assume to do all the singing, then there is likely to be trouble. No discord is more distressing than that which disturbs the richest harmony, and no quarrels are fiercer than those that have raged in the gallery. The Western *Christian Advocate*, in an editorial on "Sanctuary Praise," gives two reasons for this anomaly, namely, that there is too little prayer in the gallery, and too little music in the pews. If singers were more religious and worshipful, and congregations were more praiseful, all would be well. The article goes on to show that music is often everything with singers; sentiment, worship, appropriateness, every thing, are often overwhelmed in the single idea of a fine performance. Such display in the prayer of the pulpit would be regarded as an offense. Strange and infelicitous, after the imperfect drilling of the week, are crowded upon the congregation so that none but those who attend the rehersal can share in this part of the worship. Much space is devoted in showing the advantages of congregational singing, and that the grand chorus of the whole assembly is the only fitting way for the public praise of God. The best musicians are the foremost advocates of this measure, and the richest and largest congregations are many of them, vigorously adopting it. Fervently religious minds of every grade of musical attainment are unwilling to lose the rich volume of sound, even for the gain of a more scientific style of music. Even instruments would lose some of their terror as aids to Divine praise in the sanctuary, if the congregation were certainly not to be excluded from this part of the worship. We close with the words of the inspired Psalmist: "Praise God in his sanctuary. Praise Him according to his excellent greatness. Praise Him with the sound of a trumpet. Praise Him with the psaltery and the harp. Praise Him with the stringed instruments and organs." Praise Him upon the high-sounding cymbals. Let everything that hath breath [wind] praise the Lord! Praise ye the Lord!" Coupled with the following words of the same pen the harmony is established: "Let the people praise thee, O God! LET ALL THE PEOPLE praise thee!"

—Rev. A. S. Kisan writes from Indianapolis in regard to the extraordinary revival in the Roberts M. E. Chapel in that city, that direct answers to prayer in several instances have occurred, during the week before last. Every member of one of the best families in the place had been converted, except the oldest son. The whole family resolved to pray for his conversion. During the day he was awakened by the Holy Spirit, went to the altar of prayer at Roberts Chapel, and that night was converted. A lady who had been absent from the city for weeks, on her return, to her great regret, found her associates all converted. She was angered at the very mention of the fact. Two of her associates vowed to pray that day fifty times for her conversion. The next night the lady was at the altar and was converted. A prominent officer was induced to attend, but left the church cursing the meeting, and swearing that he never would enter it again. A friend said to a newly converted friend, "let us try our faith in fifty prayers for him to-morrow." He soon was a seeker at the altar of prayer, was converted and united with the church. These instances show the power of believing prayer.

—Calvary Baptist church, Savannah, had for its pastor a former slave, who bought his freedom. A subscription is now open for a new church. The pastor says, "I paid old massa $12 a month for my freedom, and I will pay Massa Jesus $12 to build him a house." So the house will be built. The three colored churches in Savannah number three thousand members, with nine schools.

—The new Baptist church, just completed and opened for divine service at Chicago, is probably the largest and most elegant edifice west of the mountains. The entire dimensions are as follows: Length, 165 feet; breadth, 112 feet. The interior adornments are of the most appropriate and richest character. The organ will cost $10,000, and is only next in size to the great Boston organ. The total cost of the church is $180,000.

—The Pastoral Association of the Reformed Dutch Church, composed of the ministers of that denomination in New York city and thereabouts, are discussing the question: "How can the influence of woman be properly utilized by the Church." Dr. Porter, the able editor of the *Christian Intelligencer*, read a paper on the subject last Monday morning.

—A Sunday school friend gives the following hints to teachers: 1. Maintain order. 2. Attend teachers' meeting. 3. Study the lesson. 4 Pray over your work. 5. Belief brings salvation. 6. Encourage your scholars to benevolence. 7. Be prompt.

—Rev. James C. Taylor, a member of the Pittsburgh M. E. Conference, who took sick during the recent session of that body at Washington, Pa., died there two days after its adjournment. He was an old and highly respected minister.

—It is stated by the *Congregationalist* that many ministers in New England are resigning their pastorates, and going into secular pursuits, because of an inability to live on the sums paid them.

—The *Banner* says on last Thanksgiving Day at Wellsville, Ohio, five clergymen, it is said, all that preached in the place, without preconcert, preached on the same text, viz: Ps. cxxvi, 3. "The Lord hath done great things for us; whereof we are glad."

—The receipts of the American Baptist Home Missionary Society on the 20th of February were $87,117,62. At the last anniversary the Society resolved to raise $250,000. The fiscal year closes March 31st.

—The *National Baptist*, in an article entitled "Baptists in Pennsylvania," while it speaks of the success of the Church in the past, refers to the humiliating fact that in eleven counties in this State, with an aggregate population of $237,000, there is not one Baptist church.

—Recent intelligence from Scotland states the United Presbyterian Church is carrying forward very promising missionary operations in some of the principal towns. The results are quite encouraging.

—Among the recent converts at Pastor Hedstrom's (Methodist) Bethel Ship at New York, is the Norwegian giant. He is represented as being ardent, useful and exemplary.

—At Pekin, China, a heathen temple has been emptied of its idols, and turned into a missionary hospital.

—A Catholic Seminary is about to be erected in Philadelphia, for the education of Catholic priests.

—The Baptist Home Mission Society, it is stated, has organized a thousand church es in the West since it began its labors.

—The *Central Presbyterian*, of Richmond, advocates the formation of a church of the Southern type in New York city.

—The best and truest Sunday school teacher is "one who loves the Lord and the scholar."

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Also, a Farm of about 120 acres, in Fairfield township, Westmoreland co., Pa. The improvements are a brewed log house, with a good spring, log barn and a tenant house, a good apple orchard, peaches and cherries; about 80 acres cleared, the remainder in the very best white oak timber. The land is good. The location is very healthy. This property I will sell very cheap. Possession immediately.

Also, at gold prices, a Farm of about 141 acres in Fallowfield township, Washington co., Pa., about one mile west of Nos. 1 and 2, on the Monongahela river. The improvements are a two-story log and frame house, a frame barn, spring shed and other out-buildings; fencing generally good; a young orchard of apples and other fruit trees; 100 acres of coal of the best quality, and a vein of the best limestone; convenient to coal boats and mills &c. Title A1. This property I am authorized to sell very cheap.

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

FRIDAY, March 23, 1866.

Gold has remained about stationary during the past two days, fluctuating between 127½ and 128¼, though some of the "knowing-ones" predict that it will soon go still lower. With the exception of Government bonds and Bank shares, the operations in stocks in this market have been very meagre for some days past. The recent numerous steamboat disasters seem to have affected Insurance stocks rather unfavorably, while oil shares are entirely neglected.

—The action in Congress on the Loan Bill is all things considered, favorable to the policy of the Secretary of the Treasury. The vote on Monday, of 81 to 67, reconsidering that on the rejection of the bill on Friday, was more decided than was expected, as was also the feeling of the House when the bill passed into the hands of the Committee of Ways and Means. When it will come forth, and in what shape, can hardly be conjectured, but there is reason to believe that the Secretary's policy of contraction with a view to an early resumption of specie payments, will receive legislative sanction. Those who advocate his policy believe that it will so appreciate the currency as to make resumption not only practicable, but easy. Mr. Hooper's funding bill, though not what is desired, is regarded as an improvement of the two measures which it is designed to supercede. It provides that the call loans in the Treasury shall not bear more than 5 per cent interest after the 1st of July next, that the average rate of the public debt shall be increased, that any new bonds issued shall not bear more than 6 per cent interest in gold or 7-30 in currency, that no such bonds shall be sold for less than par, and that an amount of outstanding obligation shall be withdrawn from the hands of the public, equal to the amount of bonds negotiated. No foreign loan is authorized. The objectionable feature of this bill is, that it prevents the secretary of the Treasury from funding any legal-tenders except he sells 5-20s at par. It is argued that this will act as a bar-lock to the Secretary, for if he does not keep an easy money market, United States bonds will go down below par, when he cannot redeem any more until they come up. It is doubtfully whether the Secretary will accept this bill. If he will, it is believed it can be passed by a large majority.

—A Canadian paper says:

From the last half-yearly trade returns it appears that there were exported from Canada in six months 13,910 horses, 106,810 horned cattle, 46,000 sheep; the total value of this class of exports being $7,925,353. Of wheat, grains, other agricultural produce, the value of the exports was $11,264,878, the most of which went to the United States. The total exports for the half year were $23,655,463, being an increase over the corresponding year of more than $10,000,000.

—A Washington letter says:

The great struggle in the House is over the question of contraction. This is the only point that attracts attention. The Secretary wants power to steadily contract the currency. Congress does not desire to do so. His opponents argue that the volume of currency is not too large, and therefore they are equally opposed to the McCulloch bill and any measure which shall clearly define the policy of the Government as one of contraction. They are opposed to contraction. The Committee of Ways and Means will endeavor to adopt a measure which will commit Congress to contraction, yet which will openly state the conditions and terms of the policy, so that there can be no secret transactions.

—The Treasurer of the United States, Mr. F. E. Spinner, has published a reply to the several communications of Mr. Comptroller Clarke, in which he states that the recent House Committee, investigating the truth of the different statements that had been made, very carefully examined his books, papers and his clerks, before reporting to Congress. He says that if Mr. Freeman Clarke had done likewise he would have arrived at the same conclusion as the committee, that the published statement of the Secretary was mainly correct, based, as it was, upon data furnished from the Treasurer's office, where alone such information can be had. He shows very clearly that "the discrepancy between the bank reports and the Treasury statement arises from the fact that the banks are charged weekly with the amounts deposited with them by revenue officers and others, and are credited daily with whatever checks are drawn upon them. Hence he says, it occurs that the amount due the Government, according to the books of the banks, will differ materially from the balances, according to the books of the department, and adds that in the course of the year there have been many days in which the balance due has been over $5,000,000 by the depositary banks, according to their books, have been over twenty million dollars larger than the real balances, according to the books of the Treasury."

—A Washington dispatch says it is estimated by the Internal Revenue Bureau that the proposed change in the income clause of the revenue law, exempting incomes under one thousand dollars from taxation, will affect the revenue to the amount of twenty-seven millions of dollars; the repeal of the tax on crude petroleum, about two millions; and the repeal of the tax on articles in schedule A, such as watches, carriages, &c., one million and a half.

New York Stocks, Dry Goods and Money.

GOLD AND MONEY.

NEW YORK, March 23.—The money market remains in the same easy position that it has for some time past, and the supply of capital is still largely in excess of the wants of the stock brokers. The bulk of the business is at 5 per cent. The gold market became heavy towards the close of the day, and the price fell to 128½. The exchange market is weak, and bankers bills are quoted at 107@107½.

The total imports at New York for January were $20,109,859 against $10,920,187, the same month in 1865. Total for seven months, $172,210,197 against $90,247,228, the same period last year.

STOCKS.

The stock market is steady but inactive awaiting the action of the Ways and Means Committee. Erie, 81½; Hudson, 107¼; Michigan Southern, 81½; Cleveland and Pittsburgh, 80½; Chicago and Northwestern, 56½; Cleveland and Toledo, 103; Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne and Chicago, 98½; Michigan Central, 103; Alton and Terre Haute, 67. Government Sixes of '81, 104; Five-Twenties, 103½; Seven-Thirties, 106; Western Union, 62½; Pacific Mail Steamship, 216. State bonds quiet and firm—Tennessees six sold at 74; Virginia do. at 66; North Carolina do. at 74; Missouri do. at 74; Hannibal St. Joseph bonds, 76½. The miscellaneous list was quiet.

PETROLEUM STOCKS.

The market this afternoon was lower on Buchanan Farms and United States, but firmer on the balance of the list. Oil Creek took a sudden upward turn and rose from 1.00 to 4.25. Pit Hole Creek was firmer at 2.50. Rock River 2.70, United States 8.75, Buchan at 45.

Gold stocks were generally strong. There was considerable excitement on consolidated Gregory and the stock rose to 24. Quintuff was more active and rallied to 140. Benton, 19. Quartz Hill 425.

MINING STOCKS

The following are the prices bid for mining stocks in Boston to-day: Copper Falls 32½; Franklin 38½; Hancock 105; Minnesota 10; Kearsarge 9; Boston Water Power 24½.

The *Commercial* says the general stock market shows a further strong upward tendency. The miscellaneous list is quiet and full, especially on coal stocks, which are 1½ @ 2 per cent. affected by the further decline in the price of coal. Governments quiet and firm, 5-20's of the first and second series are at par. Money is still stupendously plenty on call loans; the rate is generally 5 per cent. discounts are moderately active; prime names are 7@7½ per cent, with exceptions at 6@7.

There is less excess of dry goods, the auction paper quotations for which range at 8@9 per cent.; Dry Goods Commission paper 6@8 per cent.

DRY GOODS.

The auction sales are over. Brown Sheetings—Appleton A 24; Appleton C 21. Bleached Shirtings—Langton 42-inch 35, do 36; do 40, 33; do 27. Prints—Merrimack W 21; do D 20; Arnold 16. Brown Drills—Pepperell 20; Wiuthrop, 23. Canton Flannels—Naumkeag 30; Nashua 27. Ticks—Omega B 30; do A 60. Hosiery Skirts—S. T. & A. T. Meyers, IXL, in fair demand at former prices.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Cotton less active but prices very firm; 46c for Middling. Flour dull and heavy and prices 10@15c lower; change; $7.30@7.60 for Superfine, $7.75@8.25 for Extra, $8.15@9.00 for Extra Round Hoop Ohio, and $8.75@11 for Trade brands—closing heavy. Whisky dull and unchanged; $2.28@2.27 for Western. Wheat quiet and without decided change. No. 1 Milwaukee, in store, $1.75 for a retail parcel, choice. Rye quiet at $1.20@1.21 for Western. Barley heavy for Common and firm for Prime. Corn without decided change; 86@87c for Unsound and 74@75c for Sound Mixed Western, both in store and delivered. Oats in better request and closed firmer; 35@36c for Unsound Western and 92@93c for Sound do. Coffee quiet and firm. Sugar less active and steady; Cuba Muscovado 10½@11¾c, Havana 11@12c. Molasses steady; New Orleans 72@80c. Porto Rico 68@71c. Petroleum dull; 24c for Crude and 50c for refined. Pork dull and heavy; firmer; $25.12½@25.25 for New Mess—closing at $25.75; regular way, and $23.50 for Prime; also 4,750 barrels New Mess for April and May, seller's option, at $24@25.25. Beef steady at $16@20 for plain Mess, and $20.50@26 for new extra Mess. Beef Hams heavy at $30.00@32.25. Bacon quiet at 12½@13c, Cumberland Cut 10½@10¾c, Short ribs, Cut Meats unchanged. 11@12c for Shoulders and 18@18½c. Lard quiet at 16½@16¾. Butter in fair demand at 32@35c for Ohio, and 36@40 for State. Cheese steady at 13@22c.

Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, March 23.—Flour firm. Wheat firm at $1.24½ for No. 1, and 86c for No. 2. Corn steady at 41c for No. 1, and 39½c for rejected. Oats dull at 25c for No. 1. Provisions dull; mess pork $25.00. Lard firm at 18c. Dressed hogs quiet at $10.75@11. Live hogs $8@9.50. High wines nominal at 22. Receipts—5,400 bbls flour, 2,500 bush wheat, 8,000 bush corn, 5,600 bush oats, 1,760 hogs. Shipments—2,400 bbls flour, 8,000 bushels wheat, 340 bush corn, 5,500 bush oats.

New Orleans Market.

NEW ORLEANS, March 23.—Cotton animated and 1c higher; sales of 4,500 bales. Sales for the week, 22,300 bales. Receipts for the week, 11,000 bales against 17,000 bales last week. Exports for the week, 2,000 bales. Stock, 182,000 bales; low middling at 37¼@38c. Sugar 13¾@14c. Coffee—sales 101 for the week; 500 bags fair to prime at 20c. Sterling, 60@61c. Gold 126¾. Sight New York Bank Checks ½ discount, Gold Stock 11,000.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY March 23, 1866.

The inclement condition of the weather had a tendency to retard out-door operations today, though we can report a fair volume of business, principally, however, of a retail character.

GRAIN—Wheat is dull and entirely nominal; sale of 1 car Common Red at $1.80. Corn is dull but unchanged; sale of 1 car Shelled at 90. Oats a shade firmer, in consequence of light arrivals. Sales of 1400 bush. in elevator, at 41; also, small sales from store at 44@46. Rye is quiet, while Barley is dull and nominal at 75 for prime Spring, and 90 for Fall.

GROCERIES—The market continues very dull and unsettled, owing to the fluctuations in gold; and both wholesale and retail dealers are operating with great caution, and buying very sparingly. Cuba Sugars may be quoted at 11½ to 13½, as to quality; Porto Rico, 12½ to 14½, 15 to 16 for Soft Refining, and 17 to 17½ for Crushed, Powdered and Granulated. Coffee is selling at 25 to 29 for common to strictly prime Rio. Porto Rico Molasses, 75 to 80; Muscovado 60 to 70, and Rangoon Rice at 10½.

FLOUR—Is quiet but steady, with a moderate local demand at $8.50 to $9 for Spring; $9.00@9.50 for half Spring and half Winter, and $9.50@10 for all Winter. Sale of 30 bbls "Star Mills" at $10¾. Rye Flour is selling in a small way at $6.25@6.50.

PROVISIONS—Bacon is dull but unchanged; small sales at 13½c for Shoulders; 16½ for Ribbed Sides; 18½ for Clear Sides, and 22@22½ for Sugar Cured Hams. Lard is quiet but firm at 18½ for prime kettle. Mess Pork is quoted nominal at $28.00@29 per bbl.

SEEDS—Dull but unchanged; sales of 30 bush Clover seed at 5½, and 10 bush Timothy at 4.75. Flaxseed is still quoted $2.75.

BUTTER—Is firm and in demand, and prime Roll sells readily at extreme prices. Sales of 50 packages reported at 55@60, for prime to choice.

EGGS—In good supply, and a little dull but unchanged; sales at 25@24.

CHEESE—Sales of 30 bxs Hamburg at 21, and 20 bxs Goshen at 25.

ASHES—Unchanged. Sales of 10 tons common Soda Ash at 8, and 5 tons Pearls at 12.

POTATOES—Steadily with a very good local demand, at $1.15@1.20 per bush, and $3.00@3.25 per bbl—mostly at $3.

FISH—Sales of Lake Herring reported at $4.75@5 per half bbl, and White Fish at $9.50@10.

DRIED FRUIT—Sales of 2000 lbs prime bright York State Apples reported at 16. Peaches quiet at 14@20, for quarters and halves.

BEANS—Dull but unchanged; small sales from store at $1.75@2 per bush.

OIL—Sales of No. 1 Lard at $1.75.

LIME—Sales of White at $1.75 per bbl.

HAY—Is selling from scales at $16@20 per ton, as to quality.

PITTSBURGH PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE FRIDAY, March 23, 1866.

CR. DL.—The Crude market was more active to-day, the transactions being the largest in any one day this season, amounting in the aggregate to *fourteen thousand two hundred and fifty barrels*. While it is evident from the above that the demand was very active, and, in spite of the unfavorable feeling manifested, there is no improvement in prices, and we continue to quote at 12 to 13 cents—mostly, however, at 12. The sales reported were as follows: 1200 bbls, (40 to 44 gravity) to arrive at 12¾; 600 do do at 12¾; 2000 bbls "light" at 12; 500, on the spot, (40 to 45 gravity) at 13; 6000, to arrive, at 12¾; 1400 for April delivery, at 12¾; 1000, in three lots of 500 each, to arrive, at 12¾; 1000, at 12, packages included, delivered free on board vessel, at Philadelphia. Telegrams from Oil City still quote Crude at 8 per barrel at that point. In regard to the fire on Tuttle's Run, the fires to-day are very conflicting. One dispatch reports the loss of oil at 12,000 bbls, while another puts it at 25,000 bbls—a difference of only *thirteen thousand barrels*.

REFINED—The market for Bonded Oil continues quiet and dull, the demand on eastern account being somewhat restricted, and our speculators here, are, as a general thing, still holding off in anticipation of a still further decline. We have sales reported of 800 bbls, in lots, on the spot, in Philadelphia, 60 bbls, also, 700 bbls prime light straw to white, on the spot, in Philadelphia, at 38; and 350 bbls immediate delivery, there being no quotable change to be given at 37 to 37½ for immediate delivery in Philadelphia; 38@39 for April; 40 for May, 41@42 for June; and 42@42½ for July. In Free Oil, the most remarkable feature we have to notice, is a small sale, to go to Montgomery, Alabama—noted once as the capitol of the so-called Southern Confederacy.

NAPTHA AND RESIDUUM—There is no demand whatever for either Naptha or Residuum, and, in the absence of sales, we omit quotations.

ARRIVALS—The arrivals of Crude by the Allegheny river since our last report, were as follows:

Fisher & Bro.	4700	W. P. Logan	980
Jos. Wilkins	1300	Dilworth & Bro.	808
Hill & Metzgar	1100		
Total			8887

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, March 23.—Flour is dull, but prices are unchanged. Superfine, $7@7.50; Extra, $8@8.75. Wheat is dull and prices nominal. Corn inactive; the demand and prices are lighter; mixed, 56@58c. Oats being in light supply and there being an active demand for contracts, prices are 4@5c higher, closing at 40@43c for Nos. 2 and 1. Nothing done in Rye and Barley. Whisky very dull, and quoted at $2.23. Mess pork nominal at $25. Lard nominal at 18½c. Bulk meats in good demand, and holders are asking higher prices; sales of 200,000 pounds at 10c for shoulders packed, and 13@13½c for rib and clear sides, holders asking 1c higher at the close. Bacon still in demand. Groceries dull and prices unchanged. Cloverseed advanced to $6@6.35. Flax seed declined to $2.25. Cotton dull at 35@36. Gold, 1.27.

New York Seed Market.

NEW YORK, March 21.—The demand for Timothy is still light, and prices are without improvement; 100 bags have been taken at 5.00@5.25 cents for Ohio, and 5.00@5.50 cents for Western. Flaxseed is dull; 2,700 bags sold at $2.30@2.50 for Illinois, and $2.75 for Ohio. Flax is dull at $2.30@2.40. In Canary, we notice the sale of a small parcel Sicily, on private terms. Linseed is very dull, our crushers having enough oil to last for some time past, as English oil is selling at considerable less than it can be made for at the present cost. Sales of 500 sacks at 50 bags Calcutta in Boston, at $3.06 currency, and 1500 do, to arrive here, $2.35 gold.

Philadelphia Cattle Market.

PHILADELPHIA, March 22.—The cattle market was very dull to-day and prices rather lower. About 650 head arrived and sold at 14@15c. nts for extra, 12@13c. cents for fair to good, and common at 10@11½ cents per lb, as to quality.

Sheep—Are rather dull; 5000 head arrived and sold at from 7½@8c per lb gross—the latter rate for extra fat sheep.

Hogs—Prices remain about the same as last quoted; 1,000 head sold at the different yards at from 9½@10 the 100 lbs net.

Monday will hereafter be the market day.

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, March 22.—Cotton firm at 35@36c. Mess Pork dull at $25.00@25.50. Bacon—Shoulders and Wheat dull and unchanged. Corn better; 57c for Mixed and 60c for Yellow and 62@64c for White. Oats dull and declined to 40@41c. Pork unchanged. Bacon—11, 16½ and 17c for Clear Sides, 12½@12¾c for Shoulders, and 20½@21c for Sugar Cured Hams.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO. R. R. March 23.—13 sks rags, C P Markle; 13 sks flaxseed, A J & McK; 1 bbls eggs, 1 do tallow, John Fry; 7 sks seed, Kirkpatrick & Herron; 1 bbl do, P Herwig; 40 bdls broom handles, McElroy & Harrison; 1 bbl eggs, 4 sks clovesseed, H R dille; 100 bbls flour, C B Leech; 4 bbls butter, 4 bbls eggs, H Rea jr; 1 do do, J Coblanz; 1 pkg spice, Shriver & Lazear; 3 bxs soap, Schmidt & Friday; 3 bbls eggs, J Dank; 15 hides, A Holsteine; 300 bbls flour, Shomaker & Lang; 3 bbls butter, W J Meek; 44 bales broom corn, M Elroy & co; 10 bxs candles, 20 do soap, S Ewart & co; 25 do do, Reymer & Bro; 18 do do, Jas Connor; 11 bbls hams, Voigt & co; 90 bbls flour, Culp & Shepard; 2 bbls hominy, J A Renshaw; 15 sks rags, Markle & co; 10 cars metal, Nimick & co; 20 pkgs fish, Seibert & Morgan; 6 bbls eggs, 9 bbls seed, T & S B McMillan.

CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH RAIL ROAD.—March 23.—1 bbls tobacco, E Megraw; 20 pkgs fish, Atwell, Lee & co; 20 bdls broom handles, Shomaker & Lang; 10 half bbls butter J B Canfield; 71 bbls apples 54 do potatoes, Voigt & co; 1 bbl eggs, Sturgeon & Bro; 29 bbls oil W P Logan; 24 bbls cement, W W Wallace; 2 hhds tobacco, E Megraw; 50 bdls rakes, J W Woodwell.

PITTSBURGH, COLUMBUS AND CINCINNATI R. R. March 23.—5 bbls flour, McElroy & Dickson; 87 sks oats, F Shields; 25 bdls brushes, Shriver & Lazear; 60 tress hoops, J Bown; 60 do do, Gibson & Son; 2 bxs meal, W J Meek; 1 car staves, H Hetz; 1 car millsteed, G & J Stewart; 130 half bbls fish, J Connor.

ALLEGHENY STATION, March 23—24 kgs powder, A Kirk; 1 car millfeed, 100 bbls flour, R Bros & Son; 24 sks wheat, Kennedy & Bro; 1 car lumber, C C Boyle; 43 bgs flaxseed, Ewer & Hamilton; 1 bbl butter 1 do eggs, J Coblanz; 2 bbls eggs, R Walk; 7 cars lumber, Phelps, Park & co; 2 pkgs tobacco, R & W Jenkinson; 3 pkgs produce, 10 doz pails, S Dyer.

IMPORTS BY RIVER.

ST. LOUIS—PER YORKTOWN—34 sks peanuts, W Lynn; 4 bbls dry peaches, Potter, Aiken & Shepard; 12 pkgs old brass and copper, Isaiah Lukey & co; 6 hhds tobacco, Weyman & Bro; 31 hhds sugar cured hams, Jas Lippincott; 100 boxes candles, 11 bales rags, Clarke & co.

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RIVER NEWS.

ARRIVALS.

Revenue	Kerr	Portsmouth
Forest City	Gordon	Parkersburg
Yorktown	Elbert	Cincinnati
Lorena	Shuman	St. Louis

DEPARTURES.

Leni Leoti	Hamilton	Parkersburg
Leclaire	Kelley	Oil City

BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY.

Forest City	Gordon	Parkersburg
Edenburg	Thompson	Louisville

RIVER, WEATHER, ETC.

The river fell steadily at this point during Thursday night and yesterday, but last evening it was apparently at a stand with twelve feet in the channel. The weather continues wet and disagreeable, and business at the wharf is as dull as ever.

The Yorktown, from Nashville, is among the arrivals with a moderate trip—Captain Wash Ebbert in command. The Lorena, from St. Louis, has also arrived, and the Revenue, from Portsmouth. The Lorena had a fair trip, and Capt. Sam. Shuman, and clerk Chas. Wilkins look as natural as ever.

The Kate Robinson, from Louisville, and the Rob't. Moore, from Cincinnati, are among the next boats due.

The Leni Leoti arrived and departed for Parkersburg, and the Forest City is due here from that point this morning. She returns again to-day, leaving at 11 a. m.

The Ellinburg, Capt. Thompson, did not get off for Cincinnati and Louisville, announced last evening, owing the inclemency of the weather, but she will leave to-day without fail.

The Financier, Capt. Darragh, is filling up steadily for New Orleans, as is also, the Camellia, Capt. Lytle for Nashville.

The Silver Lake, Capt. Todd, is announced for St. Louis and all intermediate points, and passengers and shippers should bear this fact in mind.

The Pauna No. 3, Capt. James H. Marratta's new steamer left St. Louis on Wednesday for Pittsburgh.

The steamer Phil. Sheridan had her chimneys blown down during the storm on Tuesday night last, and was otherwise damaged to such an extent that she had to put back to Cincinnati for repairs.

The case of the steamer S. P. Hibbard vs. the Chancellor, action for loss of the former by collision and sinking, was called up for trial in the Court of Common Pleas at Louisville, a few days since. This case is one of several years standing, the steamer Hibbard having been sunk in a collision with the steamer Chancellor, below New Albany, on the 1st of Dec. 1858. Suit is brought by W. C. Harry, owner of the S. P. Hibbard, against the W. Stewart, owner of the Chancellor, for recovery of the value of the lost steamboat. It is a case of no little interest, and its decision is looked for with much anxiety among steamboatmen.

TRAVELERS' GUIDE.

Arrival and Departure of Trains.

Pennsylvania Central Railroad.

Departs.		Arrives.	
Day Express	2:20 a m	Mail	1:50 a m
Altoona Accom.	7:45 a m	Fast Line	9:40 a m
Cincinnati Exp's	9:00 a m	1st Wall Accom'n	6:25 a m
Mail	11:00 a m	2nd Accom'n	2:45 p m
Philad'a Express	1:30 p m	2d Wall Accom.	5:00 p m
Johnstown Ac'n.	4:20 p m	Johnst'n Accom.	10:40 a m
Fast Line	10:00 p m	Philad'a Mail	12:50 p m
1st Wall Accom.	6:30 a m	Baltimore Exp's	1:40 p m
2d " "	10:45 a m	3d Wall Accom.	1:40 p m
3d " "	4:15 p m	Philad'a Express	2:50 p m
4th Wall's Ac'n	6:05 p m	Wall's Ac'n No 4	6:05 p m
Penn Ac'n No 1	10:30 p m	Altoona Accom.	
		4 Emigt Train	10:50 p m

The church train' eaves Walls' Station every Sunday at 9:00 a m.; returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 2:00 p. m.

Pittsburgh, Columbus and Cincinnati.

Departs.		Arrives.	
Fast Line	2:30 a m	Fast Line	9:00 a m
Mail	9:00 a m	Mail	5:20 a m
Express	2:20 p m	Express	1:10 a m
Cheraw'lle Ac'n	4:15 p m	Steubenville Ac'n	
Accommodation	4:15 p m	Accommodation	10:30 a m

Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne and Chicago.

Departs.		Arrives.	
Express	a m	Express	2:00 a m
Express	3:50 p m	Express	9:15 p m
Express	2:35 p m	Express	8:25 p m
Express	11:30 p m	Mail	6:30 p m

Wheeling Exp's 5:15 p m.

Pittsburgh Accommodation leaves Allegheny at 9 a. m., 11:30 a. m., 4:20 p. m., and 5:40 p. m.; Rochester, 2:15 p. m.; New Castle, 5:50 p. m., Economy, 7:45 p. m., and Beaver, 8:45 p. m.

Pittsburgh, Cleveland and Wheeling.

Departs.		Arrives.	
Express	2:25 a m	Express	8:50 p m
Express	2:50 p m	Express	9:15 p m
Mail	6:20 a m	Express	2:30 a m

Steubenville Accommodation leaves Allegheny at 4:00 p. m.

Pittsburgh and Connellsville.

Departs.		Arrives.	
Mail	7:00 a m	Mail	6:30 p m
Express	4:00 p m	Express	10:00 a m
Accom'dation Ac'n	6:00 p m	Accom'dation Ac'n	9:30 a m
McKeesport	11:00 a m	1st McKeesport	6:50 a m
	4:00 p m	2d	2:30 p m
Braddock's Ac'n	4:00 p m	Braddock's Ac'n	8:45 p m
Church Train	1:00 p m	Church Train	10:00 a m

Allegheny Valley Railroad.

Departs.		Arrives.	
Mail	6:05 a m	Express	11:00 a m
Express	4:10 p m	Mail	9:30 p m
Accommodation	1:30 p m	Accommodation	9:30 a m

Pittsburgh and Erie Railroad, to Oil City and Franklin.

Departs.		Arrives.	
No. 40 Express	7:40 p m	No. 27 Express	8:50 a m
Via Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago and Beaver Valley			

Brownsville Boat—Grant and Water Sts.

Arrives.		Departs.	
	5:30 p m		8:00 a m

Harmony Stage, St. Clair St.

Arrives.		Departs.	
	5:00 p m		9:00 a m

Butler Stage—No. 3 St. Clair Street.

Arrives.		Departs.	
	6:00 p m		8:00 a m

Washington Stage—Hare's Hotel

Arrives.		Departs.	
	5:00 p m		8:00 a m

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POLITICAL.

THE UNION REPUBLICAN EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY will meet at the office of FISHER & MARSHALL, Esqs., on WEDNESDAY, April 4, at 10 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of calling a County Convention.

W. J. GILMORE, Chairman.
LOU. ANDERSON, (Secretaries.
L. W. THOMAS,
mh21-3&4&w4d

FOR SHERIFF,
SAMUEL B. CLULEY,
Subject to the action of the Union Republican County convention. mh22-4t&4w&F

FOR CLERK OF COURTS,
DR. WILLIAM J. GILMORE,
of Upper St. Clair Township. mh22-d&w4cF

FOR SHERIFF,
CHARLES BARNES,
Late Colonel Sixth Reg. Pa. Heavy Artillery and Brev. Brig. Gen. U. S. A., subject to the action of the Union Convention. mh22-3t & F

FOR SHERIFF.
CEN. S. B. M. YOUNG,
Late Colonel Fourth Pennsylvania Cavalry. mh21-tc

FOR SHERIFF.
COL. JAMES M'K. SNODGRASS,
Of McKeesport, late of the 9th Pa. Reserves, will be a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the ensuing County Convention. mh20-tc

FOR SHERIFF,
JOSEPH ROSS,
Of the First Ward, Pittsburgh, will be a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the action of the Union Republican County Convention. mh19-tc

CONGRESS.—The friends of HON. JOHN P. PENNEY
Will present his name to the Convention of the Union party, for nomination as a candidate for Congress in the 22d District. mh13-6wd

CONGRESS.
GENERAL JAS. S. NEGLEY
IS A CANDIDATE IN THE 22D DISTRICT. mh9-tfwd

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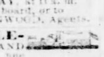

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